



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re CON patent application of:	)	Before the Examiner
Hai H. Trieu	)	Edward J. Cain
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Serial No.: 10/630,092	)	Group Art Unit 1714
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Filed: October 2, 2006	)	Ref. No. 4002-3367/PC477.02
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BIOACTIVE NANOCOMPOSITES	)	
AND METHODS FOR THEIR USE	)	October 2, 2006

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 30, 2006, please consider the following amendments and remarks. A three-month extension of time along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) have been enclosed with this response. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any additional fees which may be due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3030, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 2, 2006.

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October 2, 2006

Date of Signature